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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Yoshihisa IBA**

Group Art Unit: **2812**

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Examiner: **Cheung Lee**

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THE SAME**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2006, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.